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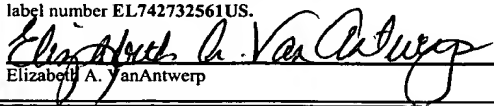
In re the application of: Shoichiro YAMAGUCHI, Tatsuo KAWAGUCHI and Takatoshi NEHAGI

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Title: A METHOD FOR FORMING A POLARIZATION-INVERSED PORTION

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PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS
(37 CFR 1.84(b)(2))

Sir:

This petition is for the acceptance of color photographs. Applicants enclose herewith three (3) sets of color photographs of Figs. 6 and 7.

A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith to incorporate references to the color photographs, labeled Figs. 6 and 7.

The use of color in Figs. 6 and 7 is necessary in this case since applicants believe that color is the only effective medium to show the position and structure of the periodical polarization-inverted portions within the substrates of Figs. 6 and 7.

Attached is the appropriate fee set forth under 37 CFR § 1.17(i) in the amount of \$130.00.

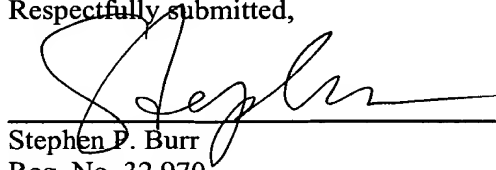
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